ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

SUIBSTANTIVE POLICY STATEMIENT

POLICY SP 04-02

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DIVISION/

PROGRAM

Office of the Director

Donald Butler, Director

EUONYMUS spp. **IMPORT CONDITIONS**

8/12/04 EFFECTIVE DATE

A.R.S. § 41-1091(B) Notice

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1. **POLICY**

This statement is being submitted to reflect the substance of a rule change which was passed at the Public Meeting for the August 3rd, 2004 Governor's Regulatory Review Council (G.R.R.C).

The Arizona Department of Agriculture (ADA) is authorized to quarantine, treat, eradicate, destroy or reject out of state noxious weeds and crop pests and diseases, and all plants which are infested or infected with crop pests or diseases, or which are the host or carrier or the means of propagating or disseminating a crop pest or disease.

Rule R3-4-226, "Scale Insect Pest," regulates the entry of the commodity *Euonymus spp.*, into the state of Arizona.

Euonymus spp. may be shipped into the state of Arizona if accompanied by an original certificate issued by a plant regulatory official of the state or commonwealth of origin attesting that the commodity was treated with a foliar application of a narrow range oil and one of the following chemicals, applied at labeled rates, and if shipped in compliance with all other applicable Department regulations:

- 1. Acephate
- 2. Buprofezin
- 3. Imidacloprid
- 4. Pyriproxifen, or
- 5. Thiamethoxam

2. **AUTHORITY**

A.R.S. § 3-107(A)(1) Organizational and administrative powers and duties of the director A.R.S. § 3-201.01 Associate director; powers and duties

3. EFFECTIVE DATE

This Substantive Policy Statement is effective upon signing and until supplanted by a rulemaking.